

## Message Text

PAGE 01 NATO 03048 302040Z

66

ACTION EUR-12

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 OC-05 CCO-00 PM-03 ACDA-05 SAJ-01

CIAE-00 INR-07 NSAE-00 L-03 /037 W

----- 126245

R 301810Z MAY 75

FM USMISSION NATO

TO SECSTATE 2109

SECDEF WASHDC

C O N F I D E N T I A L USNATO 3048

E.O. QQYTWC GDS

TAGS: MPOL, NATO, DPC

SUBJECT: MINISTERIAL GUIDANCE

REF: A. STATE 125317

B. USNATO 2975

1. AS REQUESTED REF A, STATUS OF FOLLOW-UP ACTION ON SECDEF REQUEST THAT US JUDGMENTS ON WARNING TIME FOR A PART OF MEETING RECORD IS AS FOLLOWS:

A. SECDEF REMARKS FORM A PART OF DPC MINISTERIAL VERBATIM RECORD, DELIVERED TO MISSION MAY 26 AND POUCHED WASHINGTON UNDER REGISTER NUMBER 3152 ON MAY 28.

B. INTERNATIONAL SECRETARIAT GAVE MISSION OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE DESIRED CHANGES TO FIRST DRAFT OF SUMMARY RECORD OF DPC MINISTERIAL MEETING. MISSION CHANGES WERE LARGELY EDITORIAL IN NATURE. IN OUR VIEW, DRAFT SUMMARY RECORD ACCURATELY AND ADEQUATELY REFLECTS SECDEF REQUEST. MISSION WILL FORWARD COMPLETE SUMMARY WHEN RECEIVED, IN ABOUT TWO WEEKS. IF OUTCOME NOT SATISFACTORY TO US, WE CAN RECLAIM UNDER PROVISIONS FOR THIS PUPOSE.

C. REMAINING DOCUMENT OF RECORD IS SUMMARY OF DECISIONS OF DPC MINISTERIAL MEETING, WHICH SHOULD BE ISSUED SHORTLY. WE BELIEVE INCLUSION OF SEPARATE NATIONAL VIEWS IN BRIEF DECISION DOCUMENT OF THIS SORT, HOWEVER, COULD OPEN "PANDORA'S BOX" OF CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 NATO 03048 302040Z

NATIONAL EXCEPTION OR QUALIFICATIONS IN MAJOR NATO DOCUMENTS. SINCE, AS INDICATED ABOVE, WE BELIEVE THAT REGISTRATION OF SECDEF VIEW OF WARNING OF WAR IN VERBATIM AND SUMMARY RECORDS IS AMPLED, WE DO NOT INTEND TO PRESS FOR ITS INCLUSION IN SUMMARY

OF DECISIONS. IF, HOWEVER, NETHERLANDS SHOULD PRESS FOR RECORD OF  
DEFMIN VIEWS ON RATIONALIZATION IN SUMMARY OF DECISIONS  
(REF B), WE WOULD FOLLOW SUIT ON WARNING OF WAR.  
BRUCE

CONFIDENTIAL

<< END OF DOCUMENT >>

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 18 AUG 1999  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** n/a  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 30 MAY 1975  
**Decaption Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** CunninFX  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1975NATO03048  
**Document Source:** ADS  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** QQYTWC GDS  
**Errors:** n/a  
**Film Number:** n/a  
**From:** NATO  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1975/newtext/t19750599/abbrzkia.tel  
**Line Count:** 61  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE  
**Office:** n/a  
**Original Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 2  
**Previous Channel Indicators:**  
**Previous Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** A. STATE 125317 B. USNATO 2975  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Authority:** CunninFX  
**Review Comment:** n/a  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 01 MAY 2003  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review History:** RELEASED <01 MAY 2003 by ShawDG>; APPROVED <25 SEP 2003 by CunninFX>  
**Review Markings:**

Margaret P. Grafeld  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
05 JUL 2006

**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Referrals:** n/a  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** MINISTERIAL GUIDANCE  
**TAGS:** MPOL, NATO, DPC  
**To:** STATE  
SECDEF  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 05 JUL 2006